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09/950041**HUMAN RECEPTOR PROTEINS; RELATED REAGENTS AND METHODS**

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**1. PRIORITY -- 35 U.S.C. 119**

This application claims priority or benefit from each of the following Application Nos./filing dates:  
 Cpending USSN 09/728,540, filed on November 28, 2000,  
 Provisional Patent Application No. 60/207,558, filed May 25, 2000,  
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60/044,293, filed May 7, 1997.

**2. RELATE BACK -- 35 U.S.C. 120**

Please amend the specification by replacing the first paragraph with the following:

**3. Enclosed are:**

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 CLAIMS (22 claims): 2 Pages: 80 through 81  
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 6 sheet(s) of  formal  informal drawing(s), including figures 1,2A-C, 3, 4A-D, and 5A-F  
 Sequence Submission, which is a copy from previous application, under 37CFR 1.821(e), with Explanation/Cover Letter (2 pages); please refer to parent application for computer readable sequence listing.

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